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TAGS: EMIN, BGEN, GH

SUBJECT: UNION CARBIDE NEGOTIATIONS WITH GOG

REF: A) ACCRA 5836; B) ACCRA 5828

LONDON FOR DEP ASST SEC SMITH

1. SUBSTANCE REFTELS PASSED TO GEOGHAN AT UCC NEW YORK. UCC DECIDED ATTEMPT GET SNEATH TO ACCRA IN TIME FOR 21 SEPTEMBER MEETING WITH AMENU AND, SUBSEQUENTLY, WITH CHAIRMAN IF DEBRAH SCENARIO HOLDS OUT. UCC WILL TRY TO TRANSPORT SNEATH ABOARD COMPANY PRIVATE PLANE, IN WHICH CASE WOULD ARRIVE ACCRA AROUND 1400 SEPTEMBER 21. IF THAT DOES NOT WORK OUT, WILL COME TO ACCRA VIA PANAM FLIGHT 188 SEPTEMBER 21.

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2. EMBASSY REQUESTED ATTEMPT OBTAIN LANDING PERMISSION FOR

UCC COMPANY AIRCRAFT GRUMMAN 2, REGISTRATION NUMBER N39N
RPT N39N. AIRCRAFT WILL HAVE TOTAL CREW/PASSENGERS NUMBER-
ING ABOUT 9. CAPTAIN H.J. HARDIN, CO-CAPTAIN E.S. MYJACK.

3. UCC UNDERSTANDS RELATIVE UNCERTAINTIES OF APPOINTMENTS
ON BASIS INFO REFTELS, BUT OBVIOUSLY FEELS WEIGHT OF
PROBABILITY WARRANTS SENDING SNEATH OUT. UCC WOULD
APPRECIATE WHATEVER ADDITIONAL ASSURANCE OR CAUTION
BARTLETT CAN GIVE RE MEETING, AND SUGGESTS IDUN ATTEMPT

CONFIRM MEETING DIRECTLY WITH SECRETARY.

4. INASMUCH AS UCC INTENDS ON BASIS CURRENT INFORMATION
THAT SNEATH WILL DEPART FOR GHANA SOMETIME LATE 20
SEPTEMBER, WOULD APPRECIATE RESPONSE PARAS 2 AND 3 ABOVE
BY NOON 20 SEPTEMBER. RUSH

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